

I DON'T CARE HOW MUCH A MAN TALKS, IF HE ONLY SAYS IT IN A FEW WORDS.—Josh Billings.

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Miss Eva Morrill of Portland was at home over the week end.

Miss Lillian Currier has entered Northeastern Business College, Portland.

Mrs. Violet Bennett spent the past few days with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bennett in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shaw were week end guests of John and Mrs. Elizabeth McGill, Danville, Vt.

Miss Beverly Soper of Harrison visited her grandmother, Mrs. Gertrude Bartlett, one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Berry and daughter Denise have returned to Bethel after spending the summer at Bluehill.

Miss Judith Freeman, student nurse at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston, was at home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wheeler and family, Stephen, Stanley and Marion, have moved to the Conroy rent on Philbrook Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cole are attending the insurance convention at the Samoset in Rockland Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Grace Glover of Exeter, N. H., recently struck by a car and received a fractured pelvis.

Mrs. Eva Yates and Mrs. Gertrude Bartlett, with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Judkins of Upton, attended Panna Grange at Bolster's Mills Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Fossett and son, Paul, returned to their home here on Monday after spending the summer at their cottage at Panna.

The Bethel Extension Group will meet Tuesday evening at the Home Ec. Cottage. Hostesses are Kay McMillin, Sylvia Benson and Joan Colledge.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Emery and son, Richard, who have been spending some time at their summer home in Lamona, returned to their home here, Thursday.

Miss Ellen Lord was the guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Brewster and daughter Patricia at their cottage, Brew-Inn, at Lake Wassookong, Dexter.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Stadig of Titusville, Fla., and Elliot, Maine, and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Fernald and two daughters of Elliot called on Mrs. Gertrude Bartlett recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Emery and Leroy Burger of Presque Isle were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Berry, also Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Stevens of Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis are spending a few days on vacation. They will visit Mr. and Mrs. Jerrold Davis and family in Cheshire, Mass., and will enjoy a short trip into Canada.

Miss Sylvia Dyke has joined the WAG and was sworn in by her father, Major Sidney Dyke, as second lieutenant. She is a graduate accountant and plans to continue on in that field.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Valentine left Sunday after spending a vacation at the Valentine home on Mechanic Street. Miss Mary Jane Smith, who had been visiting them, returned to her home in Indiana.

Sunset Rebekah Lodge met Monday evening with a good attendance. Plans were continued regarding the food sale Sept. 7 at the dining hall. Next meeting Sept. 18 will be the third nomination and election of officers. A silent auction will be conducted, all members to bring an article for same. Refreshments will be served.

Miss Patricia J. Aucoin, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Peter B. Aucoin of Rumford, will study for one year at the University of Freiburg, Switzerland. Miss Aucoin left New York Sept. 1 on the S.S. Liberte for LeHavre, France.

Neil L. Dow has received his appointment as Municipal Judge of Norway from Governor Edmund S. Muskie. Mr. Dow graduated from Boston University Law School in 1955. He was admitted to the Maine Bar. He is one of Maine's youngest municipal judges.

Mr. and Mrs. Moss Brown of Norway observed their 10th wedding anniversary Wednesday. Open house was held at their home on Crescent St. in the afternoon and evening.

Frank Bond, contractor, of Gardiner was awarded the contract to

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gallant are spending this week on a trip to Prince Edward Island.

Mrs. Sue Cole of South Paris was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cole and family.

Kenneth Emery's address is: Pvt. Kenneth Emery, RA11337247, Co. J, 2nd Training Regt., Fort Dix, N. J.

Mrs. Ina Viner of Washington, D. C., has been spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartlett.

Miss Madeline Emery left Monday for Auburn, where she is enrolled at the Auburn Maine School of Commerce.

Richard Valentine and Miss Mary Valentine left Monday for their work in Connecticut and Massachusetts respectively.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Strughold (Escher Wheeler) and two daughters of Burlingame, Calif., are spending three weeks visiting relatives in West Bethel and Bethel, staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wheeler.

**DUNHAM REUNION**

The 11th annual reunion of the descendants of Lemuel and Lydia Dunham was held Sunday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cole, on the Greenwood Road, Locke Mills. There were 92 relatives and friends present. Daniel R. Cole, 84, Greenwood, was the oldest, and Debra Jo, 2-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dunham, also of Greenwood, the youngest. A picnic dinner was served at 1 p. m. The business meeting was called to order at 2 p. m. by the president, Irving Cole. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Reynold Jordan; vice president, Elvia Abbott; secretary and treasurer, Phyllis Jordan; entertainment, Vera Gross, Lillian Mills and Charlotte Cole.

Following the meeting a musical program was presented by Lillian Mills, Charlotte Cole, Irving Cole, and Everett Gross. Horse shoe pitching and a ball game were also enjoyed.

Those present were: Mrs. Mabel Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dunham and Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Gross, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dunham, Mrs. Oscar Johnson, Jeffrey and Jimmy, Mrs. Laura Seames, Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Dunham, Caity, Patti and Vickie, all of Locke Mills; Mrs. Elsie Hinkley, Nancy and Robert, Mrs. Everett Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Dunham, and Donald McKimlin, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Buck, Andy, Cathy and Roger, all of Bethel; Charles Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Howe and Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Mills and Elaine, all of Bryant Pond; Mr. and Mrs. William Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cole, Miss Charlotte Cole, Herschel, Edwin and Burton Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cole, Elton and Linda, Daniel Cole, of Greenwood Center; Mr. and Mrs. Colby Ring, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dunham and Debra Jo, all of Rowe Hill; Frank Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Jordan and Reynold Jr. of Waterford; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wilson, Drucilla and Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wilson and David, of South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Whitman, Miss Lulu Swan, Harold Whitman, Kenneth and Dana, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Swanson, Warren Jr., Bonita and Gregory, all of Norway; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Abbott and Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Dunham and Paul, of West Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jordan, Michael and Bonnie, of Wilton.

The house was decorated with cut flowers. Refreshments included two anniversary cakes, made by Mrs. James Billings and Mrs. Greenleaf, Norway. Punch was served by Miss Patricia Twitcheell, and coffee by Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Twitcheell. The guest book was in charge of Miss Kathleen Twitcheell. Mr. and Mrs. Twitcheell received a money tree and many other gifts.

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## SPECIAL ELECTION MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

will be held in BETHUEL COMMUNITY ROOM

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COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

On Monday evening, Aug. 26, an informal meeting was held at the West Bethel Grange Hall. Present were citizens of West Bethel who are interested in the proposed sewer project, as well as town officials and two engineers from the firm that made the sewer survey. The purpose of the meeting was to explain the plans and estimated costs of the project and to answer questions. A large group of West Bethel citizens were present indicating their interest in the project.

One of the major problems facing the people of the area is the fact that their septic tanks are close to wells, which if continued will pollute the water thereby making it unfit for human consumption. This could constitute a grave problem if they should lose their water supply.

The engineers estimated that the cost would be \$41,000 plus 15 to 30 per cent for engineering, rights of way, legal advice and other contingent factors. This figure was determined by taking into consideration all unforeseen factors that might develop that would increase the cost. If the project is done it is believed that it could be done for substantially less than the quoted figure. For one thing they recommended that the minimum depth be six feet. This could be cut to four feet which would result in less excavation and backfilling as well as less shoring of deeper trenches.

Sincerely,  
Harold L. Bean

**MR. AND MRS. TWITCHELL CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING MONDAY**

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Twitcheell celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Monday, Sept. 2, with open house held at their home. They were married at Mexico by Rev. M. S. Haves on Sept. 4, 1907. They have 10 children 23 grandchildren and two great grandchildren. All their children were present except their two daughters, Miss Mona Twitcheell and Mrs. Rachel Jastrinsky, of San Francisco, Calif.

The house was decorated with cut flowers. Refreshments included two anniversary cakes, made by Mrs. James Billings and Mrs. Greenleaf, Norway. Punch was served by Miss Patricia Twitcheell, and coffee by Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Twitcheell. The guest book was in charge of Miss Kathleen Twitcheell. Mr. and Mrs. Twitcheell received a money tree and many other gifts.

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## GOULD REGISTRATION, 322, BREAKS RECORD

Gould Academy opened the new school year on Wednesday with an enrollment of 322 three, more than for the same date last year. Enrollment figures by classes are as follows:

Boys Girls Total

Freshmen 32 45 77

Sophomores 42 32 74

Juniors 35 55 91

Seniors 30 50 80

140 182 322

The following states and foreign countries are represented among members of the student body: Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Delaware, California, Panama, Honduras, Saudi Arabia.

**New Students:**

Seniors: Sharon Bedell, Woodville, N. H.; Jane Coffin, South West Harbor; Joan Smith, South Londonderry, Vt.; Peter Payne, Lovell; Reginald Roberts, Rockville, Conn.

Juniors: Susan Appleton, Gorham, N. H.; Beverly Back, Newtonville, Mass.; Suzanne Badgley, Winterport; Nancy Buckminster, Southbridge, Mass.; Sandra Cole, Windham, Mass.; Margaret DeLand, Pittsborough, Pa.; Gal Gorah, Rehoboth, Mass.; Janice Hague, North Olmsted, Ohio; Marjorie Huse, West Waldboro; Mary Jasper, Elliot; Eleanor Kimball, Southbridge, Mass.; Laurel MacPherson, Abqail, Saudi Arabia; Patricia Probst, Berlin, N. H.; Whitney Austin, Bar Harbor; John Bergeon, Lancaster, Mass.; Robert Chadbourne, Bethel; John Cole, Bryant Pond; Frederick Dalinger, Lovell; George Elliot, Thomaston; Newton Ferris, Lancaster, Mass.; Norman Gardner, East Hampton, Conn.; Harland Griffin, Mendon, Mass.; David Hobson, Weymouth, Mass.; Robert Weston, Augusta.

Sophomores: Carolyn Bean, Bethel; Sandra Cole, Windham, Mass.; Patricia Hill, South Portland; Janet Smith, Ogunquit; Annie Ungsworth, Wellsboro, Mass.; Richard Graves, Gorham; Michael Hathaway, Bryant Pond; John Hill, South Ham, Mass.; David Marsh, Candia, N. H.; Stephen Wheeler, Bethel.

Freshmen: Sandra Allen, Hebron; Hilma Andrews, West Paris; Tirzah Bean; Roma Bennett; Junia Bernier, Upton; Claire Berry; Carol Bildebach, Cape Porpoise; Dixie Brown; Linda Brown; Marjorie Brown; Sara Burns, Raymond; Cynthia Burris; Carolyn Chapman; Marianne Chase; Jean Corey, Falmouth Foreside; Tamara Dyer; Gloria Duran; Lorenda Freeman; Joy Fuller, Locke Mills; Freda Gammon, Hebron; Deborah Hammond, North Edgcomb; Linda Hatch, North Waterford; Dorothy Hoag, Tamworth, N. H.; Elizabeth Jackson; Louise Kennedy, Hebron; Phyllis Kimball, Locke Mills; Betty Korhonen, Bethel; Elizabeth Krzywicki, Lynn, Mass.; Melvina Learned, Newry; Louisa Lincoln; Sandra Mason, Locke Mills; Helen Miller, Boothbay Harbor; Linda Morton, Newry; Pamela Portales, Littleton, N. H.; Donna Rice; Meredith Ring, Swan Rock, Wellfleet, Mass.; Ella Stevens, Newcastles; Kathleen Twitcheell, Bryant Pond; Pamela Tyler, Gilead; Jean Waterhouse, Myer Willard; Steven Aubrey, Westaston, Mass.; Christen Angeline; Jay Balson, East Wareham, Mass.; James Bartlett, James Bennett, Locke Mills; Kenneth Bennett; Richard Bennett; Eric Bergeon, Lancaster, Mass.; William Gall, Franconia, N. H.; Ronald Coulombe; David Davis, North Waterford; Frederick DeLoaches; Lindon Fell; Herbert Ferris, Oxford; Dennis Grenier; Rupert Grover, North Waterford; Robert Hamilton; Jeffrey Hotchkiss; George Jones, East Boothbay; John Kelley, East Hiram; Arthur Lincoln; Stanley Moore; George Morse; David Myers; Jeffrey Newcomb; Graydon, N. H.; Ronald Parsons, Errol, N. H.; Richard Ramirez, Donald Rice; David Salway, Peter Stowell; Richard York.

**WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP**

The September meeting of the Women's Fellowship will be held Wednesday night, Sept. 11. Supper will be served by Circle 4 at 6:30. This will be a pot-luck supper so all are asked to bring something.

The speaker for the evening will be Mrs. Charles Buck, Naples, Wis. in the Devotional Life chairman for the State Women's Fellowship.

Anyone interested in joining the Fellowship is welcome to attend. New members are cordially invited.



Mrs. Wallace Stickney  
Don Brown Photo

## STICKNEY - CARVER

The West Parish Congregational Church at Bethel was the scene of an attractive wedding on Sunday afternoon, Sept. 1, when Miss Nancy Carver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kimball Ames, Bethel, became the bride of Wallace Stickney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Stickney, North Salem, N. H.

The service was performed by Rev. Clifford W. Laws, pastor of the church, using the double-ring ceremony before the altar which was decorated for the occasion with a large bouquet of white gladioli. Traditional wedding music was furnished by Frank Flint at the organ and by Stanley Davis, singing, "Because."

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a formal-length gown of white taffeta fashioned in princess style, with a sabrina neckline, medallions of lace with seed pearls and sequins, and with long pointed sleeves. Her hairloom veil fell from a crown of seed pearls.

Attending her sister as maid of honor was Miss Cathy Carver, groomed in aqua taffeta with peacock trim. Her bouquet was of yellow and pink gladioli.

Bridesmaids were the Misses Ellen Swan, Seneca Falls, N. Y.; Betty Pearce, Fannwood, N. H.; Sue Kildner, New London, N. H.; Mary Ann Myers and Nancy Willard, of Bethel. Dressed in identical gowns of peacock blue with matching headbands they carried bouquets of yellow gladioli.

Miss Allyn Wiley, the bride's niece, as flower girl, wore a white dress with a peacock bow, and she carried pink flowers.

Carroll Stickney, North Salem, N. H., brother of the groom, served as best man. Ushers were Leo Carver, Rapid City, S. D., brother of the bride; Walter Stickney Jr., Warren Stickney, brothers of the groom; Warren Martel and Alan Arnfield, brothers-in-law of the groom, all of North Salem, N. H.

The bride's gifts to her attendants were pearl necklaces and earrings.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held in the chapel of the church.

In the receiving line were the bride and groom, their parents, the maid of honor and the bridesmaids.

Serving were Mrs. Estelle Gage and Mrs. Olive Douglas, assisted by the Misses Joan Bennett, Joan Connor, Gail Haslam and Betty Ann Hutton.

Miss Lorraine Smith, Lyon, Mass., had charge of the guest book.

The couple left on a camping trip, the bride traveling in a sport suit with corsage of yellow and pink roses. After September 10, they will be at home at their apartment in Durham, N. H.

Mrs. Stickney is a graduate of Gould Academy, Bethel, and is a scholar at the University of New Hampshire. Mr. Stickney is a graduate of Woodbury High School, North Salem, N. H., and is also a student at the University of New Hampshire.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. Walter Stickney Jr., and children, Mrs. Warren Stickney and —continued on page eight

## LOCAL SCHOOLS HAVE HIGHEST ENROLLMENT

Bethel elementary schools opened Wednesday with a record registration of 565 pupils. The previous high point was 1955 with 558 reported. Last year's number was 542. Registration by grades:

Crescent Park

Grade 8 56

7 52

6 61

5 66

4 62

297

Primary

Grade 3 46

2 53

1 44

Junior Primary 51

190

West Bethel 20

East Bethel 23

South Bethel 17

565

## McALLISTER - SWAN

The marriage of Miss Lella Lorraine Swan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis W. Swan of Locke Mills, to Rodney H. McAllister, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister of Albany took place at 7:30 Saturday evening, Aug. 31, at the Union Church, Locke Mills. Rev. Paul Willard, pastor of the church, performed the double ring ceremony attended by the immediate families.

The altar decorations were baskets of garden flowers.

The bride was gown in a blue and white nylon street length dress, with white accessories. She carried a white prayer book adorned with a corsage of yellow roses.

Mrs. Louisa Noyes, Bryant Pond, sister of the bride, attended her as matron of honor. Mrs. Noyes wore a pink nylon street length dress with a green corsage.

Mr. McAllister was attended by the bride's brother, Raymond Swan, who served as best man.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Swan wore a navy and aqua dress with a pink corsage. Mrs. McAllister wore a blue dress and a pink corsage.

A reception following the ceremony was held at the American Legion Hall. The guest book was in charge of Mrs. Carl Jordan, West Bethel, the gift table was attended by Mrs. Joyce Hathaway, Locke Mills, and Mrs. Marjorie Freeman, Bethel. The wedding cake was made and decorated by Mrs. Annie Bumpus and her daughter, Ruth, of Albany, and was served by Mrs. Ann Swan at a table decorated with wedding bells and heart peas.

Mrs. Vivian McAllister and Mrs. Elma Hale served at the punch bowls.

The couple left on a short wedding trip and upon their return they will reside on Spring Street, Bethel.

Mrs. McAllister is a graduate of Woodstock high school and is employed in the office of the Van Tel and Tel Co. at Bethel.

Mr. McAllister attended Gould Academy and is employed by his father.

Guests at the reception were: Mrs. Rena Bacon, Mrs. Lena Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Chase, Leroy E. Hargrove, Etta G. Ring, Linda J. Ring, Sam Ring, Mrs. Bertha Emmons, Charles and Marjorie Freeman, Arthur S. Cummings, Guy and Louise McAllister, Irving and Eliza Hager Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walker, Vivian, Earl and Dwight McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister, Donna Graves, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Perkins and Jimmy, Phyllis, Bonnie and Richard Swan, Mrs. Frank Deatal, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Van Den Kerkhofen, Miss Elizabeth Tenney, Mrs. Ernest Magoon, Mrs. Rose Mason, Mrs. Cora Bennett, Mrs. Elsie Bennett, Miss Julia B. Brown, Mrs. Howard Laplan and Byron, Lona Keniston. —continued on page eight

**G. L. Kneeland, D. O.**

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## Economic Highlights . . . .

Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual — National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare.

We Americans are not the only victims of inflation. The whole Western world is in pretty much the same boat. The story is told in a U. S. News & World Report feature article which says: "The world-wide inflation reflects many things. It reflects big spending by government in most countries. It is influenced by huge demand for capital to rebuild and to expand industry and to provide people with homes. It grows in part, from the immense unfulfilled wants of people who are getting higher pay with which they can fill those wants."

The magazine shows, in chart form, what has happened to purchasing power of money in the 1947-57 period. In that little span of 10 years, our money has lost 20 per cent of its purchasing power; France's has lost 43 per cent; Canada's has lost 23 per cent; Britain's has lost 28 per cent; and Chile's has lost a staggering 60 per cent. So it goes, down the whole roster. In no case has a country's money held its value, much less improved it.

What do people in high position think about this? The answers, as U. S. News gives them, vary greatly from country to country. An English top official is quoted as saying: "If a nation pays itself 7 per cent more for doing no more work, as happened last year, price increases will follow as night follows day. . . . Before those price increases thus generated are to form the basis for another round

of wage increases, the country should ponder the damage which could be done to this nation and all who work in it. . . ." In France, on the other hand, a prominent banker holds that "a little inflation is not a bad thing", on the ground that it is a necessary part of economic expansion. In about 60 years, incidentally, the value of the franc has declined from 20 cents to one-third of one cent.

The U. S. official attitude, as U. S. News sees it, is to resist rising prices. However, there is another school of thought "that would accept a gradual inflation—of a very limited kind—provided that it could be controlled." This school, like the French banker, sees a relationship between economic growth and some inflation. Aside from the pros and cons of that, we have had a cost of living increase of close to 5 per cent in the last 18 months—whereas in 1953-54-55 the dollar was comparatively stable.

When can be expected in the future? There are no signs that government spending—which most economists regard as a major inflationary force—will materially diminish either here or abroad. Demands for capital continue heavy. On the other hand, we have what is destined to be an anti-inflationary light money policy. U. S. News concludes on this note: "Either way the tide of inflation turns, it promises to carry political dynamite. Today, over much of Europe and in the United States, people are scrambling more and more about the cost of living. Inflation is emerging as a hot political issue that may weigh heavily in the outcome of the next elections."

## PROGRESS REPORT

by Governor Edmund S. Muskie

On September 5th, the people of Maine will be asked to vote on referendum questions whose impact will have a vast effect on our State.

Usually, decisions involving our state government must be made by the Governor, the Legislature, and the people. In most instances, the decisions are actually made by the Governor and the Legislature, after they have done their best to apply their judgment in accordance with what they believe to be the will of their fellow citizens. On September 5th, however, all of us, as voters of Maine—each of us, casting but one vote—will make important decisions directly. Also, on Sept. 5, I will have only one vote which will have no greater weight than the vote cast by every citizen. The decisions, therefore, are in the hands of all of us.

**Industrial Building Authority**

One of the most important of the referendum questions appearing on the ballot is a constitutional amendment which would authorize use of the state's credit to guarantee industrial building loans.

I think we are almost universally agreed that the single most important key to a better future for Maine is the expansion of our economy to provide more and bet-

ter jobs for all our people. If we can do this, then we can provide better schools, better roads and other improved services.

Why do we need such a state guarantee of industrial building loans?

Two years ago, we created a new Department of Economic Development which has sent into action a greatly stepped-up program of planning and research, industrial promotion, recreational promotion, and geological research to the end that we may stimulate industrial growth. But this has not been enough.

In case after case, we found that with all the planning and research, all the energy and drive of our citizens to attract or improve industry, what was lacking was adequate modern industrial space.

Town after town could offer space in which the city dweller is only minutes, not hours, from open roads and the countryside. Our communities could offer clean air, sun and year-round recreational opportunities for young and old. We could offer good people who are not afraid to work and who are known throughout the world as good craftsmen.

But we could not offer the up-to-date factory space which today's highly competitive industry must have. In too many instances, what industrial buildings we do have are old and ramshackle. Many of them were built in the last century.

In addition to the need for modern structures, the trend toward decentralization of industry is expanding. We should be ready to take advantage of this movement. To meet this need, I proposed to the last Legislature that an Industrial Building Authority be set up. The proposal was incorporated in a bill sponsored by Senator Keith Lewis of Rockland and throughout its passage it received bipartisan support.

**What the Bill Does**

To put it simply, the constitutional amendment indicates that we are willing to demonstrate our belief in our own future by pledging our credit as a state for this purpose. If the people of Maine approve this amendment, then the Legislature would be in a position to work out the details, which would probably include the following:

The state guarantee would be available to local development groups incorporated for the purpose of industrial promotion. These groups would contact their negotiations with industrial clients and, if indicated, they would make up a list of the clients and would apply to the necessary banks and insurance companies for the necessary loans. These groups, which also apply to a state Industrial Building Authority for a guarantee of those loans to such agencies as they deem attractive in their agencies.

If the loans are approved by both the lending agency and the Authority, the local development group could then enter into a lease rental agreement with the industrial concern, setting out the terms and conditions for paying off the loan. It would be a guarantee proposition very much like the FHA and GI bill under which so many veterans were able to purchase homes with the assistance of a similar federal guarantee.

**What the Bill Does NOT Do**

It does not provide for "give-aways" of the government.

It does not provide for a subsidy of state dollars.

There would be no direct loan to

## WHAT EVERY MOTHER KNOWS



Industries by the state.

It is highly unlikely that any substantial amount of state dollars would ever actually have to be paid. In the event of a default, the state could pick up the monthly payments until the building could be taken over by a new prospect or until payments could be resumed by the existing industry. The selection of sound risks by the banks or insurance companies involved, and approved by the Industrial Building Authority, should reduce the number of such defaults to a minimum.

**New Blood or Established Industry?**

I would like to point out one important factor. The Authority would not freeze out existing industry. The guarantees would be available to our old, established firms as much as to new ones. In fact, one of the major purposes behind this legislation is to aid our present industries which have contributed so much to our state.

I firmly believe that it is time for us to dare to do things differently if we hope to change the pace of our economic life. This is not to say that we should do things differently without making sure first that what we propose to do is sound. In my opinion, this constitutional amendment has met that test.

The future is rushing headlong toward us and we must make a decision and make it now.

This week I would like to outline the other questions appearing on the ballot, especially the second of the two referendum questions, which would authorize the issuance of twenty-four million dollars in bonds over the next four years for the purpose of supporting a highway maintenance and construction program at what is considered a minimum level if we are to fully develop our economic potential.

**The Need**

I think we are all agreed that we must have improved highways. Maine cannot stand still; we must move forward with other states competing for the nation's markets. We must bring our farmers and our fishermen closer to their markets. Our vacationland business is dependent on improved roads. Better highways also tie us closely with our all-out drive to expand and attract new industry into the State. All of our efforts in this behalf will be futile unless we can provide an up-to-date highway system which will bring our industries in closer touch with their sources of raw material and their outlets of state markets.

Good roads are wealth producing in that they raise the level of economic activity in all of these areas. They are important factors in stimulating the development of new enterprises, in providing new jobs, in putting more money into the pockets of all our citizens.

In many respects, Maine is considered to be in an unfavorable geographical position. I for one do not take this pessimistic view. We are one of only eight states which are wholly or in part within the orbit of the important New York market. This is only one of many factors which suggests to us that by providing modern quick and safe transportation, we can realistically hope to improve our economic situation.

**The Problem**

Our chief problem is that we have a sparse population with a comparatively large area, and extensive highway mileage. Here in Maine we have over 30,000 miles of highway. This includes 8,214 miles of turn roads, and a balance of 11,110 miles which are an obligation of the State. Of these State miles the federal government contributes in the construction of about 3,841 miles.

From these figures, I think you can see that if we are to achieve our goal of a modern highway system which will adequately serve our economic needs, we must cut out an almost effort.

This highway system must be an integrated program in that all

areas of our State and our economy must be served. Each road is dependent on another road, like the drainage system of a large river wherein neither the tributaries nor the main river would exist without the other, and, like the rivers of Maine which a century or more ago carried men and merchandise to new fields, so today our highways must, but with greater flexibility, perform the same function.

Our major highways connect the larger communities and areas of the State, bring business and tourists into the State, and carry Maine products to outside markets.

Our town ways in rural areas serve the farm and forest products producer. Our town ways and city streets in urban areas serve industry and commerce, and the concentrated population which are necessary for mass production and distribution in this modern age.

State aid roads serve the same purpose as town ways and perform the added function of funneling the traffic volumes generated along the town ways to the major arteries which make up the primary system.

**A Minimum Program**

I think we can all see that here in Maine we have a road construction problem. The State participates in a minimum program on town ways. The State participates in a minimum program on State aid roads. The State has participated fully with federal programs up to now, and matched all federal dollars on primary and secondary systems. In addition, of course, we now have the new federal interstate system, providing 90% in federal money.

We have carefully calculated our estimated state revenues and costs for the year ahead, and we find that we cannot support such a minimum highway program within existing revenue sources without this twenty-four million dollar bond issue.

The only alternatives for providing this money are: (1) Do only what we can do out of present revenues and let the rest of the roads deteriorate; (2) Increase our gasoline tax, which is already one of the highest in the country; (3) Increase substantially our license fees, which would not be sufficient to bring us the necessary money; and (4) Borrow the money.

It is my thinking, and the thinking of the majority of the Legislature, that we should adopt the last alternative. The proposed bond issue would authorize the issuance of twenty-four million dollars in bonds as needed over the next four years. This will be repaid over a period of twenty years, which is the estimated life of a road.

I feel that this bond issue is completely justified if we are to increase our economic activity. Good roads mean an increased traffic flow, and this, of itself, generates more revenue. New roads naturally reduce maintenance costs and the subsequent cost in motor vehicle operations. New roads also help us in our drive to reduce highway accidents. If this bond issue is accepted by our people, it will be possible to eliminate blind spots on curves and hills, to widen pavements and shoulders, to reduce grades on hills, to improve road surfaces and bases, to construct express highways where traffic volumes are large. These are all important items which will lessen the loss of human life and decrease damage to property.

As I have said, I think the only way we can meet this problem is to borrow the money in this day and age, modern industry builds

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## CHURCH NEWS

**BETHEL METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Dwight H. McMahon, Pastor  
Miss Minnie Wilson  
Sunday School Supt.

Thursday, Sept. 5:  
Afternoon Circle of Women's Society meets with Mrs. Maude Bean at 2 p. m.

Evening Circle of Women's Society meets with Mrs. Betty Robertson, 7:30 p. m.  
Sunday, Sept. 8:  
Sunday School meets regularly at 9:45 a. m.

Church Worship Service at 11 a. m. Sermon by Pastor on theme: "What Methodists Believe."  
Meeting of Music Committee immediately after church service.  
Wednesday, Sept. 11: Meeting of Church Finance Committee at the Parsonage, 7:30 p. m.

**WEST PARISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
Rev. Clifford W. Laws, Minister  
Morning Worship 11 a. m.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE**

How spiritual perception of the true nature of man brings growth and progress will be set forth at Christian Science services Sunday.

"God that made the world and all things therein, seeing that he is Lord of heaven and earth, dwelleth not in temples made with hands; Neither is worshipped with men's hands, as though he needed any thing, seeing he giveth to all life, and breath, and all things." Act 17:24-25.

**CATHOLIC SERVICES**

There will be Catholic Mass at 9 o'clock Sunday morning at the Bethel Theatre.

**LOOKE MILLS UNION CHURCH**  
Rev. Paul Willard, Pastor  
11:15 a. m. Morning Worship.

**OPEN DOOR FELLOWSHIP**  
**MIDDLE INTERVALE CHURCH**  
Sunday School, 2 p. m.  
Church Services, 3 p. m.  
Non-denominational. Everyone is welcome.

Rev. A. F. Wolcott, Pastor.  
Sunday, 10 a. m. Worship Service.

**WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH**  
Rev. Paul Willard, Pastor  
Sunday 10 a. m. worship service.

**BRYANT POND UNIVERSALIST CHURCH**

Regular morning Worship Services will be resumed Sunday, Sept. 8, at 9 a. m.

Rev. Donald Hinckley, Pastor.  
Mrs. Addelynn Mann, Organist.  
Meeting of Association of Universalist Women will be held Monday, Sept. 9, at the home of Mrs. Mary E. Knights at 2 p. m.

**COUNTY AGENTS TO HOLD NATIONAL MEETING**

Maine county agents are helping make plans for the annual meeting of the National Association of County Agricultural Agents at Boston, Mass., October 13 to 17. At least a dozen of the Maine agents will attend. The county agricultural agent is the county representative of the University of Maine and the U. S. Department of Agriculture. County agents serve every county in the Pine Tree State.

The shortest answer is doing—George Herbert

on credit. You buy your homes on credit, and you also buy automobiles on credit. This use of credit, however, should not be abused. As a private citizen you would not splurge lavishly, and with this program, we, as a State, will not splurge lavishly. In other words, we will assume an obligation which we can manage within our income and arrange for payment within a reasonable time.

**Other Ballot Questions**

On September 9th your ballot will have not only the twenty-four million dollar highway bond issue, and the Constitutional amendment enabling us to set up an Industrial Building Authority, but will include the following:

Referendum question No. 2 would authorize use of the State's credit to construct ferries for the islands of Islesboro, North Haven, Vinalhaven and Swans Island. The intent is to open up this tremendously attractive coastal area of Maine to increased tourist and commercial traffic.

The last three questions on the ballot are Constitutional amendments. The first, if approved, would authorize use of the State's credit, to the extent of twenty million dol-

lars by the Legislature to guarantee industrial building loans.

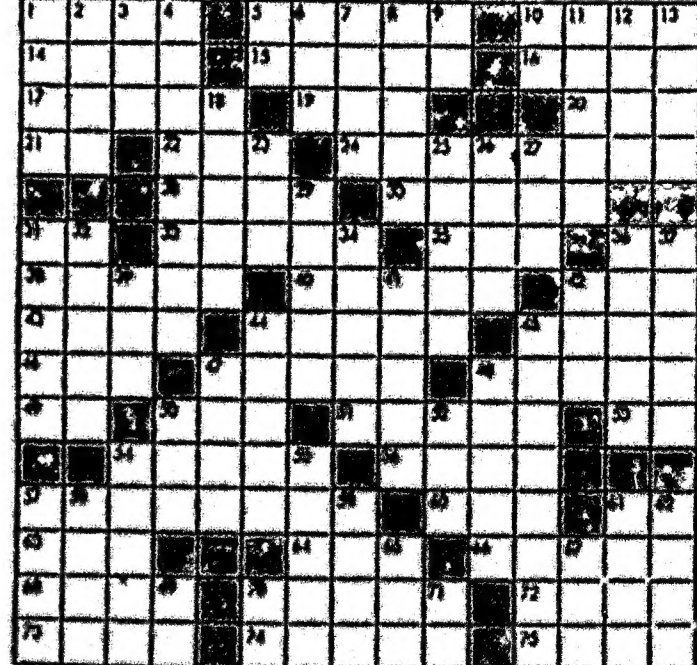
The second, if approved, would change the date of our regular State election from the second Monday of September, biennially, to the Tuesday following the first Monday in November. Our election would then coincide with that in the rest of the country.

The third amendment, if approved, would increase the Governor's term of office from two to four years, with the limitation that he shall not succeed himself after two such successive terms.

It is no secret that I have indicated my support of all of these propositions. I consider that each of them has an important bearing upon our effort to advance the welfare of every citizen of Maine.

On September 5th, I will have only one vote which will have no greater weight than the vote cast by each of you. The decisions, therefore, are in your hands. It is always difficult to bring out our voters on a referendum election such as this. These measures, however, are so important to the future of Maine that I urge you, whatever your convictions may be, and authorize use of the State's credit, to vote on September 5th.

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE



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## MIDDLE INT

Mary O. Stanley, Mr and Mrs Ralph Stanley of and Mr and Mrs of Hacksack, N. end guests of Mr Stanley and family.

Mr and Mrs I. Buckfield has m Stevens' home.

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Mr and Mrs C. Mike, of Hartland, er, Mrs Lester Irvi. Harvey Carter the summer at D. turned home to M. end, Tommy Carter for a few day's vi.

## WEST BETH

Mrs. Ruth Gil. Mr and Mrs G. Susan of Vernon C. and guests of Mr. Rolfe.

Miss June Burris the week end with Franklin Burris. Burton Rolfe a Thursday from Gr. where she was empl. m.

Misses Sara St. Grover have return South Casco, where played.

John Head arrive day from Tokyo, J. has been employed service.

Mr and Mrs C. Sherbrooke, Que., at Abbott of Colebrook week end guests of bert.

Rodney Jordan an bert spent the week ample Lake.

Mr and Mrs Shie family spent Sunday Thompson.

Pfc Arthur Hen. Mass, has spent se. home this week.

Mr and Mrs Rich. Diana and Mrs Allen at Berlin Saturday.

Miss Nancy Davis home from Shleburne, N. H., where.

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## LOCKE MILLS

**Mrs. Florence Swift, Corres.**  
Miss Cynthia Hicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks, is a patient at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, where she was taken for an appendectomy, Sunday.

Sp/30 Rexford L. Martin, who has been stationed in Korea for over a year, has received his discharge and returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Zaworski and children, Joseph, Ruth, Frances, James William, Deborah Anne and David, recently of Maracalbo, Venezuela, have returned to the States by the way of Oregon, touring through Canada to Maine, where they have been visiting Mrs. Zaworski's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James King. They will now make their home in Sharon, Mass., where Mr. Zaworski will do graduate work at M. I. T.

The supper served by the Locke Mills Union Church, recently was reported to have cleared about \$80.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wyman, of North Abington, Mass., are spending a vacation in a cottage on North Pond.

Mrs. Edmund Keene Swan and children, Bonita and Richard, of Tacoma, Wash., who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Swan, for the past two weeks, left Sunday on their return trip. They expect to spend

some time in Chicago, Ill., and Cedar Rapids, Iowa, visiting other relatives. Mr. Swan is attending school at Chautauk Air Force Base, Rantoul, Ill., and expects to complete his course the last of September. Mrs. Swan's mother, Mrs. Augusta Dostal, of Poulso, Wash., also visited Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Swan for a week while her daughter was there.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Prall, Trenton, N. J., have closed their cottage on Twitchell Pond and returned to their home after spending the summer here.

## WARRANT FOR SPECIAL ELECTION

State of Maine  
County of Oxford, ss. Town of Bethel  
To Loton F. Hutchinson, Constable of the Town of Bethel

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine, to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Bethel qualified to vote, to assemble at the Community Room on the second Monday of September, the same being the ninth day of said month, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to give in their votes upon the following Referendum Questions and Proposed Constitutional Amendments.

Referendum Question No. 1  
"Shall a bond issue be ratified for the purpose set forth in 'An Act to Authorize the Issuance of Bonds in the Amount of Twenty-four Million Dollars on Behalf of the State of Maine for the Purpose of Building State Highways,' passed by the 88th Legislature?"

Referendum Question No. 2  
"Shall a bond issue be ratified in an amount not to exceed \$2,500,000 as set forth in 'An Act to Authorize Ferry Service for North Haven, Vinelhaven, Islesboro and Swan's Island' passed by the 88th Legislature?"

Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 1  
"Shall the Constitution which now provides that the credit of the State of Maine shall not be directly or indirectly loaned in any case, be amended, as proposed by a resolution of the Legislature Pledging Credit of the State and Providing a Twenty Million Dollar Bond Issue for Guaranteed Loans for Industrial Purposes?"

Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 2  
"Shall the Constitution which now provides that the general election shall take place on the second Monday of September, biennially, be amended, as proposed by a resolution of the Legislature, to the Tuesday following the first Monday in November?"

Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 3  
"Shall the Constitution, which now provides for a two-year term for Governor, be amended as proposed by a resolution of the Legislature, to a four-year term with a further limitation that he shall not succeed himself after two such successive terms?"

The polls will be open at ten o'clock, Eastern Daylight Time, in the forenoon and will be closed at seven o'clock in the afternoon. The election will be in season at the Selectmen's Office on Sept. 7, 1957 for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

HEREOF, FAIL NOT and have you there and then this warrant with your doings thereon.  
Given under our hands in the Town of Bethel this 30th day of August in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven.

Carroll E. Abbott  
John H. Carter  
Harold G. Bennett  
Wallace E. Saunders  
Murray W. Thurston  
Selectmen of the Town of Bethel  
A true copy. Attest:  
Loren F. Hutchinson, Constable

## EAST BETHEL

**Mrs. David Foster, Corres.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Albion Smith of Salem, Va., were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Greenwood and children of Manchester, N. H., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bartlett.

Miss Dorothy Bartlett of Boston and Clayton Bartlett of Kennebunk were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Urban Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Daluzio, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Davidson of Hallowell, N. J., were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe. Mrs. Beatrice Kimball of Lewiston visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings this week.

Mr. Bruce Scribner returned home Saturday from a week's visit in East Hartford, Conn.  
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kimball and family have moved to Sutton, Mass. Mr. Kimball will work in a body and fender shop in Worcester, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Brown and children, Mrs. Virginia Phillips and children of Kennebunk; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Coffin and Jeanne of Norway were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Newton.

Johnny and Richard DeCato of Jamaica Plain, Mass., were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Al Curtis. Ronnie DeCato and Danny Ives, who have been visiting the Curtis' for several weeks, returned to their home with them.

There will be a meeting of Alder River Grange No. 148 on Friday, Sept. 6. All who have entries in the Sewing Contest, please bring them to be judged.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Curtis and Mrs. Ada Tanner were at Maud Day's camp in Locke Mills Sunday. Mrs. Florence Hastings attended a training class at South Paris Thursday.

Mrs. Leonie Hutchinson of Dixfield was a visitor of Mrs. Ida Blake on Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Vallee and children, Mr. and Mrs. Donald O'Leary and children of Ridgelyville; Mrs. Homer Smith and children of Northwest Bethel were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. James Plawlock.

Mrs. June Stearns of Rumford Corner was guest of honor at a stork shower held at Alder River Grange Hall on August 31. She received many lovely gifts, among them a big kiddie bath to which many people contributed, a basket, several blankets, gowns, bottle warmer, sweater sets, etc. Bingo was enjoyed by those present and refreshments of sandwiches, cake, minis, coffee and punch were served afterwards by Mrs. Roland Stearns and Mrs. Janice Smith, the hostesses. Those present or contributing were Mrs. Lillian Bartlett, Albert and Cynthia Coolidge, Mrs. Lyle Martin, Mrs. Gerry Howe, Mrs. Louise Pinkham, Mrs. Floribel Haines, Mrs. Lorraine Hammond, Barbara Hammond, Miss Arlene Coolidge, Mrs. Grace Smith, Mrs. Nannette Crockett, Mrs. Arlene Harrington, Barbara Carr, Ben Monk, Billy Akers, Mrs. Thea Stearns, Mrs. Mary Bean, Mrs. Isabel Boyce, Mrs. Joyce Swan, Mrs. Rose Bartlett, Mrs. Maggie Newton, Mrs. Marguerite Bartlett, Mrs. Howard Rand, Mrs. Leona Curtis, Mrs. Janice Smith, Mrs. Peggy Coolidge, Mrs. Edith Milligan, Mrs. Van Bessey, Mrs. Dorothy Putnam.

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## SOUTH ALBANY

**Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Cor.**  
Leon C. and Ruth E. Kimball were week end guests of their grandfather, Leon L. Kimball.

Roy and Arthur Wardwell were in Norway on business Friday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Chaplain and Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer from Harrison called on Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wardwell, Jean and Jane called on Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring at their camp at Hunt's Corner Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fullerton from Auburn spent the week end in this place.  
E. A. Libby from North Waterford and Walter Clark from Hunt's Corner called at Wardwell's Monday.

## MAINE DAIRYMEN TOUR

FARMS IN MAINE, N. H.  
About 25 Maine dairymen who have been outstanding in their county Green Pastures programs toured topnotch forage programs in Maine and New Hampshire recently. Ralph A. Corbett, Extension

Mrs. Ethel Bean, Mrs. Walter Stearns, Mrs. Howard Minnow of Cape Elizabeth, Mrs. Verna Bessey, Mrs. Erna Thurston, Mrs. Mabelle Hibbs, Mrs. Robert Moore, Shirley Hoyt, Sandra Clement, Mrs. Alice Whittemore, Mrs. Clara Hamlin, Mrs. Myra Foster, Josephine Foster, Mrs. Sam Wing, Mrs. Roland MacPhoe, Mrs. Cora Holman, Mrs. Irving Welch, Mrs. Iva Bessey.

Miss Arlene Coolidge received her cap at a special ceremony at the North Shore Babies' Hospital in North Lynn, Mass., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erlon Bean and baby, John and Victor Coolidge were in Santa's Village, Jefferson, N. H., and then went to Lancaster Fair this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Bartlett attended the 4-H Club Leaders' Meeting in North Norway Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bartlett attended the Oxford County Pomona meeting at South Waterford Tuesday.

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dairymen, led the tour. Stops were made at the Rogers Experimental Farm at Stillwater and the University of Maine farm at Orono; Vaughn Hurd's in Thorndike, a 1957 state Green Pastures winner; Harold Southern in Livermore Falls, & Sons in Fryeburg, a state Green state Green Pasture's chairman and Pastures' winner last year.

twice a state winner; Mr. and Mrs. Alton Benson in Gosham, former state Green Pasture's chairman and McDonald's, North Haverhill, N. H., last year's second-place winner in New England; and Philip Andrews & Sons in Fryeburg, a state Green state Green Pasture's chairman and Pastures' winner last year.

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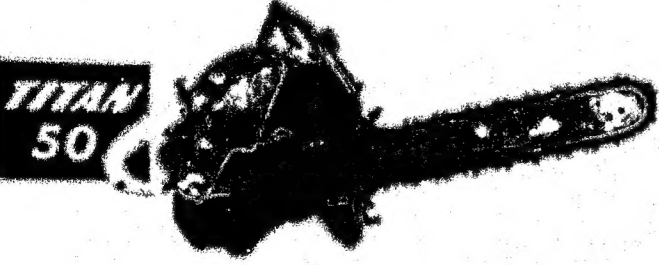
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ductivity of its labor did not in-  
crease as fast as wage rates. Our  
region also failed to adjust to  
changed conditions. We're still liv-  
ing in the days when capital and  
labor looked at each other as ene-  
mies—when labor was swayed and  
union organizers were beaten with  
clubs. But those days are over and  
labor and management should now  
be part of the same machine. It's  
time we said to ourselves, 'we  
can outproduce any other section  
of the country, just as we have  
done from colonial times.'" —  
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"Throughout history, anytime the  
government has passed a law re-  
stricting the power of any group,  
that group complained it was be-  
ing destroyed... The Sherman An-  
ti-Trust Law was passed because  
business was getting too big and  
too powerful. Today we see  
clearly that business was not de-  
stroyed. It is healthier than ever...  
Similarly a Freedom of Employ-  
ment Bill would not destroy unions  
... If unions are a good thing and  
are a benefit to the working man,  
if they don't need compulsory  
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Your  
Washington  
ReportCongressman  
ROBERT HALE

Textile Bill—The Maine delegation  
met resistance at every turn in its  
unsuccessful efforts to obtain  
House approval of the Smith tex-  
tile bill this year in the Democrati-  
cally-controlled 85th Congress.

First, the House Agriculture  
Committee rejected the legislation  
by a 20 to 6 vote and set it aside  
until next year. All six who voted  
for the bill were Republicans.

Then, after the Senate passed the  
bill late in the session, we attempt-  
ed to obtain permission of the  
Democratic leadership in the House  
to bring it to the floor under sus-  
pension of the rules, a parliament-  
ary procedure requiring a two-  
thirds vote.

The leadership turned us down,  
however, maintaining that an at-  
tempted suspension would not be  
in order in view of the Agriculture  
Committee's earlier rejection of the  
legislation.

This clearly demonstrates that if  
a bill is turned down in committee,  
it usually is dead for that session  
and stays dead even if identical leg-  
islation is passed by the other body.

Such is the operation of the com-  
mittee system in Congress, which  
may evoke displeasure at times,  
but which remains essential in our  
form of government.

In this case, the entire domestic  
textile industry will suffer because  
the legislation was not passed. The  
Maine delegation time and again  
stressed its importance to the thou-  
sands of mill workers in Maine and  
elsewhere. We shall continue our  
fight next year, and hope that the  
Agriculture Committee will view  
the textile industry's plight more  
favorably.

Fort Preble—The President has  
signed his legislation giving Maine  
title to the 29-acre Fort Preble  
Military Reservation in South Port-  
land for use by the Maine Voca-  
tional-Technical Institute. The

Times have changed! Not too  
long ago most folks took it easy  
insofar as traveling is concerned.  
If a fellow missed the stagecoach,  
he was reasonably content to wait  
a couple of days for the next one.  
Today, he means if he misses one  
section of a revolving door. Too  
many people are in a powerful hur-  
ry these days. Why? Who knows?

School is now eligible to receive  
\$300,000 from the state for im-  
provements to grounds and build-  
ings, and can go ahead with plans  
for expansion.

Surveys—The Department of the  
Army has announced allocations  
are being made in fiscal 1958 for  
one flood control and three naviga-  
tion surveys in the First Maine  
District by the Army Engineers.  
The surveys and allocations in-  
clude: Androscoggin River, \$20-  
000, flood control; and Cape Ned-  
dick River, \$6,000; Mill Cove, Port-  
land, \$5,000, and York Harbor,  
\$8,000, all navigation studies.

Caseln Duty—Congress has pass-  
ed legislation to remove the im-  
port duty on caseln, which is used  
extensively in Maine for the man-  
ufacture of various types of coat-  
ed paper, as well as for paints, ad-  
hesives, and plastics. Almost all  
domestic caseln requirements must  
be met by imports. There is no  
domestic caseln industry of any  
consequence.

Income Taxes—Per capita in-  
come in Maine increased 5 per cent  
to a \$1,667 average from 1955 to  
1956, the Department of Commerce  
has announced.

Return to Maine—Now that Con-  
gress has adjourned this will be  
my last newsletter for this year.

I will return to Maine shortly  
and reopen my office at 76 Pearl  
Street, in Portland, which I have  
maintained ever since I was first  
elected to Congress in 1952. I hope  
to travel around the district and  
see as many constituents as possible  
between now and January.

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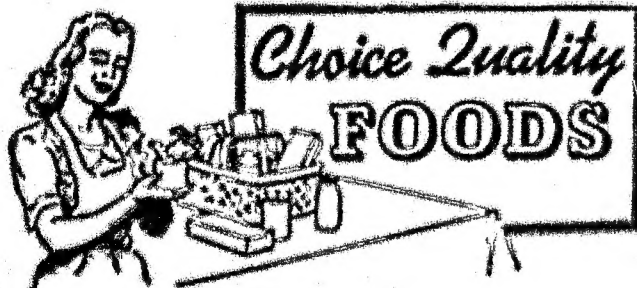
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### SONGO POND

Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Correspondent  
Miss Lona Keniston spent last week visiting her grandmother and other relatives in Portland. Mrs. Lona Keniston was also in Portland one day last week.

Ethel Kimball spent Thursday with Louisa Brown.

Mrs. Howard Lapham and Byron, Mrs. Eileen Keniston and Lona and Miss Lella Swan were in Rumford shopping recently.

Miss Lorraine Leighton is enjoying a vacation at home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hancock and children enjoyed a lobster dinner at Varnmouth Sunday.

Tony Lapham of Seabrook visited relatives here over the week end. With Edward and Warren Lapham he attended the Lancaster fair Monday.

Joan Stork expects to return home today from the St. Louis Memorial Hospital at St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Willie Dean is at the St. Louis Hospital in Berlin, N. H., for observation.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wiko and three children of Gardiner were visitors over the week end and holiday at Ralph Kimball's. They all enjoyed a trip to Mt. Blue State Park Monday.

Miss Ivy Philbrick returned this week end to her teaching duties at Vermont Junior College.

Mrs. Mildred Bennett and Mrs. Florence Graves were calling on their mother, Mrs. Maud Kimball, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark E. Cymal returned Wednesday to their home in Brooklyn, N. Y., after spending a most enjoyable summer at their summer home on Songo Pond.

Don't be the one to spoil the Labor Day traffic record. Thousands of Maine citizens are actively engaged in trying to make this a holiday without a highway fatality. Don't YOU be the one to spoil the record. Join OPERATION CAUTION!

### LAFF OF THE WEEK



"The two-cent glass is for cheapskates."

### SKILLINGTON

Mrs. Ola Tift, Corrae.

Mark Wight is a patient at the St. Louis Hospital, Berlin.

Mrs. Alice McAllister and Mrs. Kenneth Saunders were in Lewiston Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Young, Jimmie and Nancy, spent last Wednesday and Thursday in Canada.

where they attended the Sherbrooke Fair. Saturday they spent the day at Augusta.

Miss Kay Blake, who was employed at Gorham for the summer returned home last week.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tift were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartlett, Mrs. Ina Viner, Washington, D. C., and Mr. and Mrs. Chester French, Norway.

Miss Prudence Tremer, Berlin, spent the week end with Miss Kay Blake.

The Clayton Blakes attended the Lancaster Fair on Sunday.

God help us to prepare even for the unforeseen.

—Ray M. Mitchell (New York)

### WEST GREENWOOD

Mrs. F. W. Crockett, Correspondent  
Eddie Deegan was the guest of Terry Wilson Wednesday night and Thursday.

Mrs. Alden Wilson and Stanley, accompanied Mrs. Robert Deegan, also Tommy Davis and Miss Patty Davis of West Paris, all went to Lewiston Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary Woodcock and children of Woodstock, Conn., were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Malvern Wilson, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Amy Bunker, Misses Mary and Carolyn Mills were in Rumford Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Francis Dooen and baby called at Mrs. Malvern Wilson's on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Zarba and son, Charles and friend, Billy Donovan, and Miss Dorraine Cassidy of Watertown, Mass., were week end guests of the Paul Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Stowell of Riddellville, called at Malvern Wilson's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Mills of Norway called at Mrs. Amy Bunker's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trafford and son and Mrs. Trafford's brother of Auburn, also called at Mrs. Bunker's.

Our Governor's Committee on Highway Safety reminds us that the use of the highway is a cooperative, not a competitive matter.

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### NEWRY

Schools opened Wednesday with the same teachers as last year. Robert Davis is conveying the pupils.

William Blair, our student minister, held his last services Sunday. He will continue his studies at the Andover-Newton Theological Seminary.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Post have returned to their home in Jericho, Vt., after spending the summer at their camp on Wight's Brook.

Nell Ross and family of Gray spent the holiday week end at their camp on Wight's Brook.

Mrs. William Blair was tendered a stork shower Wednesday evening by the ladies of Newry and Up-ton at the home of Mrs. Mary Trapp.

Fred Wight attended the Pomona Grange meeting at Bolster's Mills Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hall and Mrs. Irene Foster were among the recent callers at Fred Wight's.

Mrs. Daisy Moxton visited her granddaughter, Mrs. Robert Dutil, in Auburn, after her daughter, Mrs. last week.

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### SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. E. M. Fleet, Corrae.  
Ple Kenneth Nowlin was home from Fort Dix over the holiday at the John Nowlins.

Miss Carrie Wight recently called on Mrs. Bertha Bean.

Many from here attended the Lancaster Fair in New Hampshire Sunday.

Mr. Barry and others of Casco were in town Sunday calling on the R. M. Fleets.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gardner of Seabrook were at their cottage over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Cutler of Seabrook were in town after three years being away. They are old time hunters in these parts.

Mrs. Hilda O'Brien of Gorham, Maine, called on her brother and family, the R. M. Fleets, Sunday.

Russell Yates and his new car was a week and caller on his parents, the Estes Yates, from Gorham, Maine.

Frank Vall, in Gloucester, Mass., where he will teach at St. F. College.

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### BRYANT POND

Mrs. Edith C. Abbott.  
Mrs. Antoinette Rose ended the Star Birthday Club summer home, Round Pond, good, Thursday night, for its supper and meeting. Ten seven members and guests present. Assistant hostesses, Mrs. Edith B. Lakeway, Mrs. Farnum, Mrs. Martha Warr, Mrs. Juanita Allen. After the supper served at table on the lawn, the members adjourned to the house for the business meeting, conducted by the President, Mrs. Lakeway. Mrs. G. Andrews was appointed to give the cost of fluorescent for the Town Hall and to report the next meeting. The package was won by Mrs. Cummings. The committee for September meeting is Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Lottie Homrigh, Mrs. Eva B. Twitchell and Mrs. Farnum.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lagr family have moved to Biddeford where he will teach at St. F. College.

William Young, Somerville, was the guest for several days of Mrs. Bertha Houghton.

Mrs. Villa Scatena, Rumford, the guest of her brother and Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Farnum.

Dr. and Mrs. A. G. H. Fowler family returned to their home in Bloomfield, N. J., on Saturday after spending the summer at cottage here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dudley, in party with Mr. and Mrs. O. Waterville, enjoyed an automobile trip to Provincetown, Mass., during the long week end.

Guests last week of Mrs.

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## BRYANT POND

Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Cor.

Mrs. Antoinette Rose entertained the Star Birthday Club at her summer home, Round Pond, Greenwood, Thursday night, for a picnic supper and meeting. Twenty-seven members and guests were present. Assistant hostesses were Mrs. Edith B. Lakeway, Mrs. Esther Farnum, Mrs. Martha Warner and Mrs. Juanita Allen. After the bountiful supper served at tables on the lawn, the members adjourned to the house for the business meeting, conducted by the President, Mrs. Sadie Lakeway. Mrs. Gertrude Andrews was appointed to investigate the cost of fluorescent lights for the Town Hall and to report at the next meeting. The mystery package was won by Mrs. Fannie Cummings. The committee for the September meeting is Mrs. Cora Bennett, Mrs. Lottie Hemingway, Mrs. Eva B. Twitchell and Mrs. Beatrice Farnum.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lago and family have moved to Biddeford, where he will teach at St. Francis College.

William Young, Somerville, Mass., was the guest for several days of Mrs. Bertha Houghton.

Mrs. Villa Sessions, Rumford, is the guest of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Farnum.

Dr. and Mrs. A. G. H. Power and family returned to their home at Bloomfield, N. J., on Saturday, after spending the summer at their cottage here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dudley, in company with Mr. and Mrs. O. Lord, Waterville, enjoyed an automobile trip to Provincetown, Mass., during the long week end.

Guests last week of Mrs. Ger-

trude Davis and Miss Harriette Stetson, included Mrs. Lawrence Stetson and children, Denise and Larry, Suffolk, Va., Mr. and Mrs. William Hayes, Lewiston, Mrs. Nedella Godfrey, Brockton, Mass., and Mrs. Margery Hammond and Miss Clara Butler, Auburn.

Week end and Labor Day visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bowker were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stilwell, Miss Shirley Stilwell and Mrs. R. I. Gray, Portland, and Bruce Laughlin, Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Probert were the guests a few days last week of relatives in Massachusetts and New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Guido Glongo, Franklin Lakes, N. J., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jordan for the long week end.

Mrs. Dick Sargent, Mechanic Falls, recently called to see her uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bowker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth MacDonald, Yarmouth, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. James D. Billings.

Mrs. Elsie Cole was at Bailey's Island over the week end.

Robert McKee, Jr., spent last week at the McKee Cottage, Phillips. Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKee, Sr., were there for the long week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bacon, Boston, and Miss Mildred Wentworth, South Portland, were in town for long week end.

Jefferson Chapter will observe Past Master's and Past Patron's Night at the meeting Friday evening, Sept. 6. A 6:30 supper in charge of Mrs. Arlene MacKillop and other Junior officers will be served.

Skill will accomplish what is denied to force.—Alfred Henderson

## PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately:—

Daniel T. Durell, late of Bethel, deceased; Ada M. Durell, of Bethel, executrix without bond. August 20, 1957. 35-37

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Mrs. Roxie Inman, Corres.

Mrs. Lyndall Farr spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Ada Knightly, of Paris Hill.

Mrs. Doty Torrey, Dixfield, is visiting her friend, Mrs. Elva Ring, the daughter born at Norway Aug. 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Whitman has been named Wyona Eloise.

Miss Virginia Hibler returned home from New Haven, Conn., she had been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Blossom Jr. for two weeks.

House guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hibler and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hibler during the week were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin Binghamton, N. Y.

Mrs. Stanley O. Andrews spent the week end with her husband at Auburn.

Week end and holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Lamb were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Blossom and family of Hartford, Conn.

Mrs. Velma Carpenter, Jane and Billy, of South Portland visited her parents over the holiday. On Sun-

## ALBANY - WATERFORD

Lillian L. Brown, Corres.

Walter Lord recently purchased the Roy Lord place at North Waterford.

The auction at the Ernest Brown farm was largely attended last Saturday.

Cd's J. R. Penfold and family who has spent the past 28 months in France visited his aunt and family the Ernest Browns recently, also the Don Browns. Other recent visitors and callers on Mrs. Marr and the Browns were Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hutchinson of Pitts-

field, Mass., who visited several days, Margaret and Candace Eacholder, Lincoln Whitehouse of Forestville, Conn., with his daughters and Mrs. Leavitt, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Deppach and friend from Ridgely Park, Pa., Mrs. Maud Kimball, Fred Wentworth, Mr. and Mrs.

Dwight Sawin, Emma Sawin, Mrs. Chester Tarbox, Elizabeth Heath, Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal Mills, Mrs. Harold Tyler, Walter Lord, June Penfold, Jack and Logan Cummings, Mrs. Frances Marr, Miss Louise Marr, Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Bachelder, Sharon Hopkins, Mrs. Edna Cummings, Miss Rosemark Smart, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barnes, Bertha Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Millett and family, Mrs. Myran Chaplin and family and Ray Jewell and daughter.

"Pete" Henley has finished work for Nona Grover and will return to Mechanic Falls, where her daughter, Linda, attends high school.

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A group of young students from Houghton College, Houghton, N. Y., known as "Youth In One Accord," presented a very inspiring service in music and testimony at the Finnish Congregational Church on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

The Past Noble Grands met at the home of Miss Ruth McKee Friday evening. Mrs. Violet Hibler and Mrs. Elsie Todd served as hostesses.

The ordination service for Ronald C. Hicks, Baptist minister, will be held at the Baptist Church Friday at 7:30 p. m. A public reception will follow.

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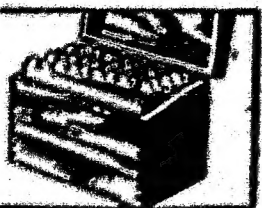
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## 18 YEARS AGO

Bus service of the Maine Central Transportation Company was resumed after an 18-day strike by the drivers.

Mrs. Mary Brundage was remodeling the Kendall house, Sunday River, into two dwellings. James Spence was doing the work.

Mrs. Edward Hancock, a qualified instructor, was teaching horsemanship at her home on Vernon Street.

## 23 YEARS AGO

Dr. Edwin Kay who had been in West Paris for twelve years was given a farewell party as he was leaving to study in Philadelphia.

The descendants of John Ring held their annual reunion at the Hoot's Corner Church, Colby Ring was elected president.

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Turner 001 010 000-2 3 3  
Bethel 000 010 000-1 5 1  
S. Timberlake and Ricker; Farrar and Crockett.

The tournament continued on Saturday afternoon as Turner defeated Lisbon Falls 7-3 behind the 2-hit pitching of Gerry Henry.

Turner 201 110 000-7 7 2  
Lisbon Falls 000 000 000-3 3 3  
Henry and Ricker; B. Baumer and Mott.

In the second game Saturday afternoon George Legere of Rumford pitched 11 hits as the Bethel nine eliminated Lisbon Falls from the tournament. Bethel outscored 12 hits of assorted Lisbon batters, Boyon, Kochis and Allard; Sumner, Crockett, Farrar and Poplin each collected a pair of safeties for Bethel.

Lisbon Falls 200 010 001-7 11 4  
Bethel 001 102 100-12 12 2  
Boyon, Kochis (4); Allard (4) and Jordan; Legere and Farrar.

Turner eliminated Bethel Sunday afternoon in a 6-1 contest. Honorable mention allowed Bethel since this was Stan Farrar was reached for 13 by the Turner batters. At home, they collected three of the Bethel hits. Loveloy two and Crockett, Farrar, Rowe and Boyd, one each.

Turner 100 100 000-6 13 3  
Bethel 000 000 000-1 5 2  
Inyard and McCarthy; Farrar and Crockett.

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This was inspired by what happened in Cameron, Louisiana last June, when hurricane Audrey razed the community and took a ghastly toll of death and destruction.

There was but one doctor there. His home was totally destroyed. He did not, for long hours, know what had happened to his family. Then he learned that his three daughters had perished in the flood. Yet, a Cameron citizen said, "He just kept working, taking care of the injured as though nothing had happened."

The Patriot quotes the Hippocratic Oath which all physicians take: "So far as power and discernment shall be mine, I will carry out regimen for the benefit of the sick, and I will keep them from harm and wrong..." And that Oath goes on to say: "If I shall fulfill this Oath and break it not, may the fruits of my life and of art be mine, may I be honored of all men for all time..."

This doctor in ruined Cameron lived up to that Oath under the most trying circumstances conceivable. The Patriot observes that he will rebuild his home as his community rebuilds, and that his new one may be a showplace. But it always will be only a dull patch compared to the showplace that is his life. There is a symbolism here. All over the country, in little towns and great cities, other doctors are quietly and effectively carrying out their Oath, and placing duty above all other considerations. They do this as a matter of course, in ordinary times as well as in emergencies. Their lives are showplaces.

**BORN**  
In Lewiston, Aug. 26, to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Forbush (Adelaide Paine), a daughter, Doryce Ann.

**MARRIED**  
At Rumford Point, Aug. 31, by Rev. William Penner, Burdell Almon Bridge of Hermon and Miss Anne Kimball Martin of Rumford Point.

At Locke Mills, Aug. 31, by Rev. Paul Willard, Rodney H. McAllister of Albany and Miss Lela Lorraine Swan of Locke Mills.

At Bethel, Sept. 1, by Rev. Clifford Laws, Wallace McKinney of North Salem, N. H., and Miss Nancy Carver of Bethel.

**DIED**  
In Scituate, Mass., Sept. 1, Mrs. Herbert T. Wallace, formerly of Bethel.

**MEALMASTER - SWAN**  
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Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Card, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Swan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Noyes, Denise and Elena, Rev. Paul Willard, Mrs. Lillian Swan, Madeline Emery, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hohl and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Swift, Lou Swan, Mrs. Lydia Whitman, Harlan Whitman, Kenneth Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hamlin, Hugh Swan, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Jordan, Vivian Brown, Linda Brown, Carol Pilot, Nancy Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Ellingswood, Jerry Ellingswood, Libby Banc, Mrs. Abbie Brown, Miss Arlene Brown, Miss Arlene Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Howe and Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Melville, Mrs. Laura Rossen, Mrs. Mabel Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Will McAllister, Jo Ann McAllister, Donald McAllister, Shirley Sprague, Leslie Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. John Grover, Mr. and Mrs. John Grover Jr., Melvin Tenney, Lois Tenney, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Ellingswood, Judy and Honey Ellingswood, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Hathaway, Mrs. Dora Ford, Mrs. Lillian Lapham, Miss Charlotte Cole.

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## JULY SAVINGS BOND SALES UP 24% OVER JUNE

July sales of savings bonds in Maine reached \$1,400,131 as compared to \$1,127,888 in June, a gain of \$272,243, or nearly 20%, according to a report by Chester O. Abbott, Portland banker, and State Chairman of Maine's Savings Bonds Committee.

Series E Bond sales were the best for any month since January, and Series H sales the highest in a year, except for May just after the increase in interest rate to 3 1/2% was announced, Abbott said.

Total sales for the first seven months of this year amount to \$9,607,760 and have been substantial in each county, the chairman stated, several having exceeded a million dollars.

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